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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Junichi TANAKA *et al.*
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SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESSING APPARATUS
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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26 January 2004

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response set by the Office Action dated 24 July 2003 of two (2) months. Filed concurrently herewith is a Form PTO-2038 including authorization for payment of the requisite Petition fee (Code 1252). Please charge any fees due to ATS&K Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (as Case No. 500.41371X00).

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